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Thomas B. Russell
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
 Education: Western Kentucky 1967 BA; Kentucky 1970 JD
 Began Service: October 11, 1994
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Legal Practice: Associate, Waller, Threlkeld & Whitlow (1970-1975);
 Partner, Whitlow, Roberts, Houston & Russell (1975-1994)

Current Memberships: American College of Trial Lawyers; Kentucky Bar Association; McCracken Bar Association

Staff
 Law Clerk **Kristen King** (270) 415-6430
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Joseph H. McKinley, Jr.
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954
 Education: Kentucky BS; Louisville JD
 Began Service: August 25, 1995
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney,
 Daviess County, Kentucky; Commissioner, Kentucky Oil and Gas
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Judicial: Judge, Kentucky Circuit Court, Daviess County (1992-1995)

Legal Practice: Partner, Meyer, Hutchinson, McKinley & Haines

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Edward H. Johnstone
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922
 Education: Kentucky 1949 JD
 Began Service: October 13, 1977
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Judicial: Judge, Kentucky Circuit Court, 56th Circuit (1976-1977)

Legal Practice: Partner, Johnstone, Eldred & Paxton (1949-1976)

Military Service: United States Army (1942-1945)

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W. David King
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
 Education: Murray State U 1967 BS; Kentucky 1972 JD
 Began Service: March 1, 1978
 Term Expires: November 1, 2011
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

Legal Practice: Private Practice

Military Service: United States Army (1968-1970)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association; McCracken County Bar Association

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James D. Moyer
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
 Education: Yale 1971 BA; Virginia 1974 JD
 Began Service: April 29, 1996
 Term Expires: April 2012

Legal Practice: Associate, Hogan & Hartson (1974-1976); Associate and
 Partner, Stites & Harbison (1976-1996)

Current Memberships: Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association

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E. Robert Goebel
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
 Education: Murray State U 1965 BS;
 Kentucky 1970 JD
 Began Service: May 11, 1998
 Term Expires: May 11, 2014
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

Judicial: Judge, Commonwealth Court of Kentucky, Sixth Judicial District
 (1984-1998)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1970-1984)

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Dave Whalin
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: December 16, 1948
 Education: Louisville 1979 BS, 1985 JD
 Began Service: July 26, 2004
 Term Expires: July 26, 2012

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Joan Lloyd Cooper
 Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1961
 Education: Kentucky 1982 BA; Brandeis 1985 JD
 Began Service: December 22, 1999
 Term Expires: December 22, 2013

Legal Practice: Lloyd & McDaniel (1985-1988); Wyatt, Tarrant & Combs
 (1988-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; District of
 Columbia Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar
 Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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David T. Stosberg
 Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
 Education: Bellarmine 1968 BA; Kentucky 1973 JD
 Began Service: June 30, 1989

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the
 Western District of Kentucky

Legal Practice: Dougherty & Haunz; Partner, Morgan & Pottinger
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Military Service: United States Army (1968)

Current Memberships: Louisville Bar Association; American Bankruptcy
 Institute

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